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Re: U.S. Patent No. 6,879,709
Issued: 04/12/2005
For: SYSTEM METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY DETECTING NEUTRAL
EXPRESSIONLESS FACES IN DIGITAL IMAGES
Attorney Docket No. IBM-6879709US (503972.20001)

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Power of Attorney By Assignee Of Entire Interest (Revocation Of Prior Powers) for filing in connection with the above-referenced patent and a self-addressed stamped postcard, return of which is requested to acknowledge receipt of the enclosed document.

Accordingly, we request that this Power be made of official record in connection with this patent.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Assignee: IPG HEALTHCARE 501 LIMITED

**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE OF ENTIRE
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As Assignee of the entire interest of the patents identified in Exhibit A, all powers of attorney previously given are hereby revoked and the following attorneys are hereby appointed to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and I hereby appoint Maryellen Feehery Hank, Reg. No. 44,677; William J. McNichol, Jr., Reg. No. 31,179; Carl H. Pierce, Reg. No. 45,730; Nanda P.B.A. Kumar, Reg. No. 44,853; Tamara Yorita, Reg. No. 53,813; Jeanine A. Graham Reg. No. 57,603; Jenny Papatolis, Reg. No. 61,284, Joseph Miller, III and other patent attorneys of Reed Smith LLP as its attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation to file this declaration and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected with said patent for the term beginning immediately and expiring twelve months after the date of this Power of Attorney (set forth below) and which may be extended upon written notice.

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